



VOLUME 1



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## *December 2016*

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

#### **TO REMEMBER**

***Saturday, Dec 17th  
Moose Lodge  
Sponsored Dinner  
4:30pm—6:30pm***



***Friday, Dec 23rd  
Christmas Luncheon  
RSVP by calling  
780-6422 ext 212***

#### **Alaska Pioneer Home**

##### **Mission Statement:**

Providing Elder Alaskans A Home  
and Community, Celebrating Life  
Through Its Final Breath.



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## **Greetings from the Administrator**

It was great to see so many families and friends together for our Thanksgiving meal and thank you to all who made this event a success. Please reserve your space to join your loved ones for our Christmas meal on Dec. 23rd at noon.

Last month, all the administrators and the director of the Alaska Pioneers' Homes met with the Pioneers' Home Advisory Board (PHAB). The Board conducts annual inspections of property, policies and procedures of the Alaska Pioneers' Homes and recommends changes and improvements to the Governor.

As I look at the list of activities for December and the number of groups or individuals on the schedule, my heart fills with thanksgiving as I am sure it is love that motivated all to share their time, music, food, talents, and gifts. Thank you for being the stars that brighten the lives of the JPH residents. May peace, love, and joy fill our hearts today and always.

Gina :=)

## CELEBRATING VETERANS' DAY



### Honoring our Juneau Pioneers' Home Veterans:

Lonnie Anderson, Herbert Bonnett, Robert Dupere, Eleanor Feero, Win Germain, Ben Haffner, Gerald Lind, Denny Merritt, Edward Nygard, Howard Rider and Rudy Ripley.

## THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON HIGHLIGHTS





## VERONICA (VHIE) HERMANO'S RETIREMENT PARTY (28 YEARS OF SERVICE)



## MOOSE LODGE PARTY



## DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



### Residents

Grace D. — Dec. 8

Marian C. — Dec. 10

Chris S. — Dec. 14

Chuck G. — Dec. 29

Anne B. — Dec. 30



On November 28, 2016, we said goodbye to one of our beloved residents, Ruth Dawson. Ruth will be remembered for her sense of style, strong faith, unconditional love for all, and for always seeking the good in others to the very end.



## Christmas Caroling Schedule



December 7th, - JAAC Holiday Concert

Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup> – Singing with Bernie Kirkpatrick

Sunday, December 11<sup>th</sup> – Juneau Youth Ministry Collaborative

Monday, December 12<sup>th</sup> – Lighthouse Baptist Church Christmas Carols

Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> – Auke Bay LDS Ward Young Women Christmas Carols

Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> – Crossroads Church Singing

Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup> – Gastineau Rotary Club Caroling and Christmas Party

Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup> – Moose Lodge Party

Sunday, December 18<sup>th</sup> – Tammy Piano Studio with 10 Students will bring snacks

Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup> – Xia Mini Fiddler

Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup> – St. Paul's Christmas Caroling

Thursday,, Dec. 22nd—One Body Music Ministry Christmas Caroling

Thursday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> Christmas Dinner

Sunday, December 25<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Day – Opening of Gifts

Friday, December 23rd—Truitt Christmas Caroling